

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF IOWA
CENTRAL DIVISION**

JERRI E. YOUNG and PATRICIA A.)	
WALSH, on behalf of themselves and all others)	
similarly situated,)	
)	
Plaintiffs,)	Civil Action No. 4:07-CV-00386-RP-CFB
)	
v.)	Judge Robert W. Pratt
)	
PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL GROUP, INC.)	
and PRINCOR FINANCIAL SERVICES)	
CORPORATION,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO DISMISS AMENDED COMPLAINT

Defendants Principal Financial Group, Inc. ("PFG") and Princor Financial Services Corporation ("Princor") (collectively, "The Principal" or "Defendants") hereby move to dismiss Plaintiffs' Amended Class Action Complaint for Violations of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act ("Amended Complaint") pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(b)(6). In support of this motion, The Principal submits the accompanying brief.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons set forth in the accompanying brief, The Principal respectfully requests that this Court dismiss with prejudice Plaintiffs' claims against The Principal.

Respectfully submitted,

PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. and
PRINCOR FINANCIAL SERVICES
CORPORATION

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PROOF OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true copy of the foregoing instrument was served upon one of the attorneys of record for each party to the above-entitled cause through the Court's CM/ECF electronic filing system on the 21st day of December, 2007.

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